

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

GIANNI SHARPA THOMAS,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 22-491

DETENTION ORDER

The Court has conducted a detention hearing under 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and concludes there are no conditions which the defendant can meet which would reasonably assure the defendant's appearance as required or the safety of any other person and the community.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

Defendant is charged with unlawful possession of a firearm. He has a significant criminal history with convictions indicating a propensity for violence. He has pending charges in a municipal court for violation of a no contact order and obstructing an officer. Defendant was released from state prison this year and the alleged offense occurred while Defendant was on active State DOC supervision. The government proffered that Defendant has had police contact this year indicating possession of a firearm on more than one occasion. The government also proffered that Defendant has attempted to flee when contacted by law enforcement in past

1 criminal cases. The pretrial office investigation indicates Defendant has significant mental health
2 and substance issues.

3 It is therefore **ORDERED**:

4 (1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the
5 Attorney General for confinement in a correctional facility separate, to the extent practicable,
6 from persons awaiting or serving sentences, or being held in custody pending appeal;

7 (2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with
8 counsel;

9 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the
10 Government, the person in charge of the correctional facility in which Defendant is confined
11 shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in
12 connection with a court proceeding; and

13 (4) The Clerk shall provide copies of this order to all counsel, the United States
14 Marshal, and to the United States Probation and Pretrial Services Officer.

15 DATED this 1st day of November, 2022.

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19 BRIAN A. TSUCHIDA
20 United States Magistrate Judge
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